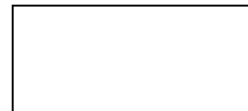


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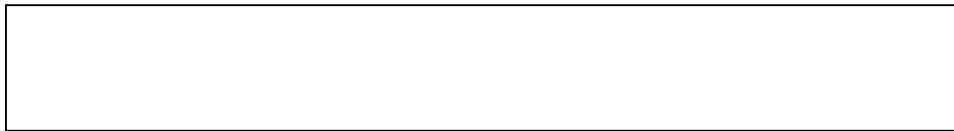
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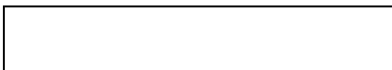
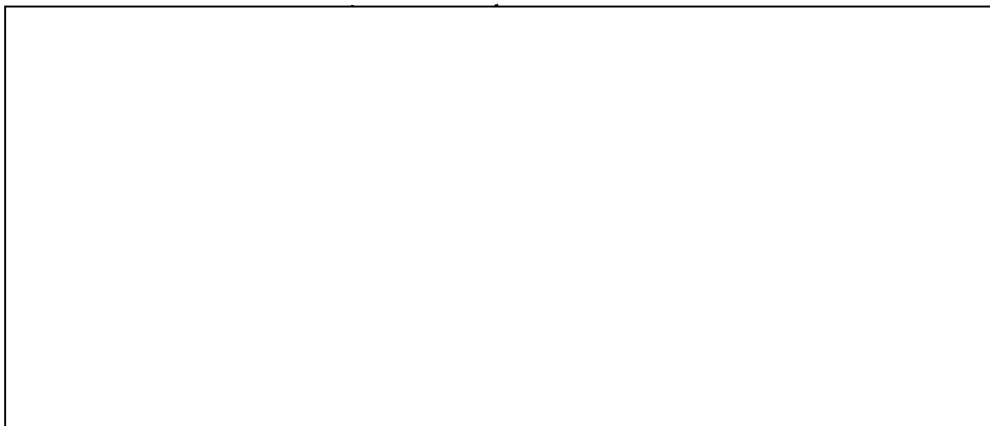
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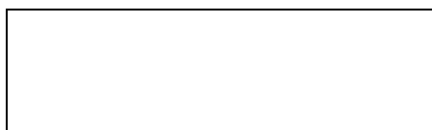
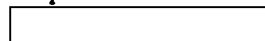
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IRAQ-EGYPT: Invitation to Nonaligned Summit

Iraq's invitation to Egypt to attend the nonaligned summit meeting scheduled for September in Baghdad is a major step in Egypt's rehabilitation in the movement. [redacted]

Although Egypt was a cofounder of the movement, it came under attack when it signed the Camp David accords. Cairo subsequently had to stave off several expulsion attempts by radical Arab states. [redacted]

Egypt received little criticism last April at a nonaligned meeting in Kuwait, however, when it called for mutual and simultaneous recognition between the PLO and Israel. The Egyptian representative also managed to prevent the conference communique from directly criticizing the Camp David process. [redacted]

Comment: Iraq fears its war with Iran will cause members of the movement to demand that the meeting place be changed, and by inviting Egypt it hopes to strengthen support among Arab moderates. Moderates within the movement want Egyptian help in the struggle with the radical, pro-Soviet faction for leadership. [redacted]

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